Setting UP of I. T. D. C. Hotel in West Bengal

3993. SHRI SATYAGOPAL MISARA: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to set up one ITDC Hotel at Degha, West Bengal;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) and (b). ITDC's Annual Plan 1992-93 does not include any provision for the setting up of hotel at Digha in West Bengal.

(c) ITDC is a Commercial Undertaking and undertakes construction of hotels after evaluating various factors such as availability of land at reasonable price, availability of funds, economic viability, inter-se priority etc.

IFC Assistance of Fruit Processing Projects in M. P.

3994. KUMAR PUSHAP DEVE SINGH: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the International Finance Corporation (IFC) has shown interest in funding some fruit processing projects in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the amount proposed by the IFC those projects; and

(c) the place in the State where fruit processing projects are proposed to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) to (c). International Finance Corporation (IFC) has intimated that in principle they are interested in financing food processing industries including fruit processing in Madhya Pradesh particularly, those which could be export oriented. They have also informed that they had arranged for an international consultancy firm to visit India including Madhya Pradesh to explore and identify viable projects in food processing. The consultants have just completed their report and IFC is discussing the report with the consultants.

Repairs to Aircraft

3995. SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA: SHRI JEEWAN SHARMA:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Airbus Industries of France has been carrying out repair works to aircrafts including airbus 310 of the India Airlines and the Air India;

(b) if so, the details of the repairs done by it in last three years and the amount thereof charged for it;

(c) whether any feasibility study has been conducted for utilising the services of the Hindustan Aeronautics Limited for such repairs; and

(d) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) and (b). In case of A-30 aircraft of Air India only technical guidance and support has been taken from Airbus Industrie.

In the last three years, Airbus Industrie carried out the following work on A-300 air-